

Brookings County Historical Society-Museum

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Brookings County Commissioners
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Dear Commissioners:

The board of directors of the Brookings County Society/Museum has asked that I convey to you all their heartfelt thanks for your continued support as we strive to preserve the past and the current history of Brookings County for today's and tomorrow's generations.

As you are aware, the continued maintenance and general up-keep of the museum campus is a high priority and your support helps insure that we can continue to meet this challenge.

In recent months we have been able to re-roof the nearly 40-year-old north wing of the Ag Building, and we continue to up-date the house of the county commissioners first clerk, James Hauxhurst.

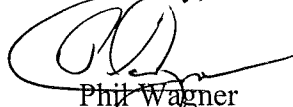
The fifty-year-old Main Museum floor is currently being repainted as we reconfigure displays in that building in preparation for another season of visitors.

Nearly all of the work we are accomplishing this winter is being done by volunteer help, and those professionals it has been necessary for us to do some of the work have all reduce their regular fees.

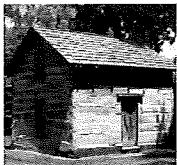
In recent months the museum has been given two exciting new items related to county history that, with more than 100 other artifacts, we hope to have ready for display when we open on Memorial Day.

Thank you for helping make all of this possible.

Sincerely,



Phil Wagner
President



1870 Log Cabin



Christianson Family
Rural School



Main Museum



Farm Equipment
Building



1884 Hauxhurst House



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Located in Volga City Park in Volga, S.D.